Urinary microbiome of kidney transplant patients reveals dysbiosis with potential for antibiotic resistance

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Figure S1. Dendrogram of the urine microbiome. The dendrogram is based on hierarchical clustering of transplant and control groups using the Ward method with the Pearson's correlation distance metric.



Figure S2. Multivariate analysis of microbial diversity. (a) Partial least squares discriminant analysis (PLS-DA) of the bacterial species in transplant and control group. The percentage of total variance explained by PC1 and PC2 are noted in both the axis labels. (b) ANOSIM (Analysis of Similarity) test showed that the within-group variability was low compared to between-group variability.



Figure S3. Microbial diversity profile of transplant and control group. (a) Stacked bar chart representation of relative abundance of four dominant phyla. Relative abundance of *E. faecalis* (b), *E. coli* (c), and *P. acnes* (d) for individual samples in transplant and control group. The color of the bar graph (species) represent the phylum which they belong (stacked bar graph).



Figure S4. Bacterial phyla and microbial diversity in different diagnostic groups. (a) Relative abundances of the 4 dominant bacterial phyla detected in different transplant diagnoses compared to control. The other phyla category contains phyla with < 2% abundance. The significance of the difference was computed using ANOVA with Tukey's multiple comparison test. Asterisks indicate significant differences at phylum level (**p<0.001). (b) Shannon diversity index in 4 clinical diagnoses compared to control, and is significantly different in control group compared to 4 transplant diagnosis categories. No significant differences were observed among the 4 transplant diagnosis categories. "Other" includes the combined category for FSGS, PKD, RN, Lupus and vasculitis (Table 1). The significance of the difference was computed using ANOVA with Tukey's multiple comparison test. Asterisks indicate significant differences at species level (***p<0.0001), see Supplementary Table 6.



Figure S5. No change in the level 1 KEGG functional pathway categories between the transplant and control urine. Shown are relative abundance of KEGG assignments for the level 1 KEGG categories identified in transplant and control group. Both groups are highly enriched for metabolism and environmental information processing categories. No significant differences between the groups were observed at Level 1.



Figure S6. Abundance of folate biosynthesis pathway genes identified in transplant and control group. (a) Relative abundance of folate pathway genes compared among; (a) major phyla – Firmicutes, Proteobacteria, and Actinobacteria, (b) Bacterial species – *E. faecalis, E. coli,* and *P. acnes* representing the respective phyla.



Figure S7. Correlation analysis. The correlation analysis using linear regression of sample collection time points with the relative abundance of major bacterial phyla identified in the urine samples. No significant correlation was observed.

Sample name	Number of reads	Reads used for contig assembly	No. of contigs
1	7849916	7814972	47
2	21803762	5819208	2471
3	10327248	10325043	25
4	12785361	12039222	14
5	7433295	7419132	374
6	8174663	8150995	312
7	34818382	3134361	7487
8	27420614	4565511	4935
9	31903768	6576452	2417
10	28570804	8361721	6376
11	35156390	5717893	5503
12	642591	503045	2661
13	392172	310036	3306
14	281816	171627	4799
15	399222	298956	1992
16	580114	464905	2164
17	689472	519830	8874
18	881827	656455	3234
19	446857	324868	8414
20	563269	485818	1604
21	295740	225778	1611
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C1	7545864	5145175	10732
C2	5384830	4007780	14516
C3	9235514	5503626	15563
C4	9790696	5349040	16247
C5	8187139	5957934	13343
C6	8043242	4598491	5387
C7	4690991	2233658	3041
C8	3756888	1830113	2898
Group	Number of reads	Reads used for analysis	Total number of contigs analyzed
Transplant	11019870 ± 2852048	3995000 ± 860800	68620
Control	7079396 ± 779065	4328000 ± 543600	81727

Table S1	. Statistics	of	metagenomics	data.
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Total number of reads include raw sequence reads for each sample. Reads used for analysis includes sequences retained after quality filter and human sequence removal. Number of reads for each group are shown as mean \pm SEM.

Transpla	nt	Control			
Genus % Abundance		Genus	% Abundance		
Enterococcus*	28.62	Propionibacterium*	18.48		
Escherichia*	12.67	Corynebacterium*	10.55		
Ralstonia	9.56	Ralstonia	7.58		
Shigella*	7.43	Neisseria	7.27		
Propionibacterium*	4.85	Streptococcus	3.23		
Proteus	4.45	Prevotella	2.65		
Streptococcus	3.41	Bacteroides	2.55		
Lactobacillus*	2.85	Mobiluncus*	2.44		
Bacteroides	2.40	Porphyromonas	2.20		
Neisseria	2.22	Enterococcus*	2.18		
Salmonella	1.64	Pseudomonas	2.11		
Burkholderia	1.30	Burkholderia	1.65		
Staphylococcus*	1.17	Enhydrobacter	1.51		
Citrobacter*	1.12	Escherichia*	1.39		

Table S2. Abundance of bacterial genera.

Bacterial genera identified in transplant and control group (selected on the basis of >1% abundance in each group). Genus identified in both the groups are shown in bold letters, whereas non-bold are the genera specific to each group. The significance of the difference among bacterial genera was computed using Wilcoxon Rank test (*p corrected < 0.05).

Diversity estimators	Tran	splant	Control			
	Mean	Min–Max	Mean	Min–Max		
Shannon index***	2.8±0.2	0.6-4.3	4.8±0.2	3.9-5.3		
Inverse Simpson index**	0.8±0.0	0.3-0.9	0.9±0.0	0.8-0.9		
Evenness	0.6±0.0	0.3-0.9	0.7±0.0	0.6-0.8		

Table S3. Richness and diversity measures of urine microbiome.

Richness and diversity measures of urine microbiome including the Shannon index, Inverse Simpson index, and evenness are shown. The index values are shown as group mean \pm SD. The significance of the difference was computed using Mann Whitney *U* test (**p< 0.001, ***p< 0.0001).

TIDM		T2DM		HTN		Other	
Species	% Abundance	Species	% Abundance	Species	% Abundance	Species	% Abundance
Enterococcus faecalis	23.64	Enterococcus faecalis	20.91	Enterococcus faecalis	24.63	Enterococcus faecalis	20.83
Escherichia coli	12.97	Escherichia coli	9.80	Escherichia coli	7.21	Escherichia coli	10.08
Enterococcus sp.	4.10	Propionibacterium acnes	6.14	Propionibacterium acnes	6.80	Proteus mirabilis	9.69
Enterococcus sp. 7L76	3.89	Ralstonia pickettii	4.60	Ralstonia pickettii	5.59	Propionibacterium acnes	4.16
Bacteroides vulgatus	2.86	Bacteroides vulgatus	4.39	Ralstonia solanacearum	4.47	Ralstonia pickettii	3.80
Salmonella enterica	2.83	Escherichia sp. 4_1_40B	3.45	Enterococcus faecium	2.94	Ralstonia solanacearum	3.62
Shigella dysenteriae	2.29	Enterococcus sp.	3.21	Bacteroides vulgatus	1.79	Lactobacillus crispatus	3.07
Escherichia sp. 4_1_40B	2.26	Enterococcus sp. 7L76	2.50	Salmonella enterica	1.62	Bacteroides vulgatus	1.92
Ralstonia pickettii	2.18	Ralstonia solanacearum	1.88	Enterococcus sp.	1.57	Shigella sonnei	1.79
Shigella sonnei	1.79	Shigella flexneri	1.86	Ralstonia sp.	1.35	Shigella sp. D9	1.61
Shigella flexneri	1.65	Shigella boydii	1.85	Mycoplasma hominis	1.31	Shigella dysenteriae	1.60
Streptococcus pneumoniae	1.64	Shigella dysenteriae	1.77	Pseudomonas aeruginosa	1.31	<i>Escherichia</i> sp. 4_1_40B	1.59
Enterococcus faecium	1.59	Shigella sp. D9	1.77	Ralstonia sp. 5_7_47FAA	1.30	Shigella sp.	1.59
Citrobacter koseri	1.56	Shigella sonnei	1.76	Proteus mirabilis	1.28	Enterococcus faecium	1.47
Shigella boydii	1.54	Shigella sp.	1.76	Enterococcus sp. 7L76	1.17	Salmonella enterica	1.36
Citrobacter sp. 30_2	1.36	Staphylococcus epidermidis	1.32	Streptococcus agalactiae	0.95	Shigella flexneri	1.35
Shigella sp. D9	1.15	Ralstonia sp. 5_7_47FAA	1.28	Neisseria meningitidis	0.94	Bacterium RRLBTPL IV-3	1.25
Shigella sp.	1.15	Ralstonia sp.	1.28	Streptococcus pyogenes	0.93	Lactobacillus acidophilus	1.19
Streptococcus sanguinis	1.13	Enterococcus faecium	1.09	Streptococcus pneumoniae	0.74	Ralstonia sp.	1.14
Klebsiella pneumoniae	1.02	Escherichia sp. 1_1_43	1.00	Escherichia sp. 4_1_40B	0.71	Shigella boydii	1.13

 Table S4. Abundance of bacterial species in each diagnostic category.

Shown are bacterial species identified in 4 different clinical diagnosis categories including T1DM (Type 1 Diabetes Mellitus); T2DM (Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus); HTN (Hypertension) and "Other" includes the combined category for FSGS, Nephrocalcinosis, PKD, RN, Lupus and vasculitis (Table 1). The first 20 species are selected on the basis of >1% abundance in the clinical diagnosis category "Other". Bacterial species identified in at least 3 diagnostic category are shaded. Statistical analysis was performed using ANOVA with Tukey's multiple comparison post-test. No significant differences were observed.

Table analyzed	Compar	ison at the	species level in 4 clinical o	liagnosis catego	ries with control
One-way analysis of variance					
P value	< 0.0001				
P value summary	***				
Are means signif. different ($P < 0.05$)	Yes				
Number of groups	5				
F	10.74				
R squared	0.64				
ANOVA Table	SS	df	MS		
Treatment (between columns)	24.19	4	6.05		
Residual (within columns)	13.52	24	0.56		
Total	37.71	28			
Tukey's Multiple Comparison Test	Mean Diff.	q	Significant P < 0.05	Summary	95% CI of diff
TIDM vs T2DM	-0.23	0.53	No	ns	-2.037 to 1.573
TIDM vs HTN	0.19	0.51	No	ns	-1.338 to 1.713
TIDM vs Other	0.55	1.52	No	ns	-0.9516 to 2.042
T2DM vs HTN	0.42	1.15	No	ns	-1.106 to 1.945
T2DM vs Other	0.78	2.16	No	ns	-0.7199 to 2.273
HTN vs Other	0.36	1.30	No	ns	-0.7867 to 1.502
TIDM vs Control	-1.74	4.84	Yes	*	-3.234 to -0.2407
T2DM vs Control	-1.51	4.19	Yes	*	-3.002 to -0.009023
HTN vs Control	-1.93	7.01	Yes	***	-3.069 to -0.7809
Other vs Control	-2.28	8.60	Yes	***	-3.388 to -1.177

Table S5. Statistics of the abundance of bacterial species in each diagnostic category compared with controls.

Shannon index is significantly different in control group compared to 4 transplant diagnosis categories. No significant differences were observed among the 4 transplant diagnosis categories. Different clinical diagnosis categories are T1DM (Type 1 Diabetes Mellitus); T2DM (Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus); HTN (Hypertension) and "Other" includes the combined category for FSGS, Nephrocalcinosis, PKD, RN, Lupus and vasculitis (Table 1). The significance of the difference was computed using ANOVA with Tukey's multiple comparison test. Asterisks indicate significant differences at species level (*p<0.05, ***p<0.0001).

Level 1 KEGG categories	Transplant	Control
Metabolism	61.1	58.0
Environmental information processing	18.7	18.2
Genetic information processing	12.7	15.7
Cellular processes	5.4	5.9
Human diseases	1.3	1.9
Organismal systems	0.7	0.3

Table S6. Statistics of the abundance of KEGG Level 1 categories.

Shown are relative abundance of KEGG assignments identified in transplant and control group. Using Wilcoxon Rank test (p corrected <0.05) no significant differences between the metabolic categories were observed at Level 1.